

Panel Proposal Form

2009 Sigma Tau Delta International Convention, March 25–28, Minneapolis, MN

Panel Proposal Deadline: November 21, 2008

Do not use this form if you are submitting a paper. The Paper Submission Form can be downloaded at www.englishconvention.org.

Guidelines for Panel Proposals

We encourage students, faculty sponsors, and Alumni Epsilon chapter* members to propose panels on topics of general interest to both the discipline and the society. Panel presentations will be 75 minutes in length and might consider such topics as chapter activities, service projects, service learning, graduate school and/or career options, pedagogical issues surrounding canon formation or assessment, etc.; that is, topics that can best be explored in interactive, round-table discussions. **Panels are not meant to be sets of correlated essays.** For assistance in developing panel proposals, please contact Convention Chair, Gloria J. Hochstein, at HOCHSTGJ@uwec.edu.

Instructions: Student panelists must be members of Sigma Tau Delta or Sigma Kappa Delta (i.e., must be enrolled as students at an institution with an active $\Sigma\tau\Delta$ or $\Sigma\kappa\Delta$ chapter or be members of the $\Sigma\tau\Delta$ Alumni Epsilon chapter*).

Title of Panel:

Description of the focus of the panel (one paragraph or attach a separate typewritten description):

Panel Moderator Information (or leave this blank and we will select a moderator for the panel)

(Moderator must be a faculty or Alumni Epsilon* member)

Name _____

School _____

Telephone _____

Email _____

Panelists (maximum of 5 panelists):

(1) Name _____

School _____

Email address _____

(2) Name _____

School _____

Email address _____

(3) Name _____

School _____

Email address _____

(4) Name _____

School _____

Email address _____

(5) Name _____

School _____

Email address _____

NEW: Email Panel Proposals-Nov. 21, 2008 (11:59 p.m.)

- Email submission is strongly encouraged.
- Address email to convention09@uwec.edu.
- In the **subject line**, type **PANEL PROPOSAL**.
- In the **cc line**, type the **chapter sponsor's email address** so that the email with Panel Proposal Form will go to the sponsor to verify that all students named are members in good standing with $\Sigma\tau\Delta$ or $\Sigma\kappa\Delta$ (waived for Alumni Epsilon chapter* members).
- **ATTACH one (1) copy of this form** (available at www.englishconvention.org). Submissions without this form will not be considered.
- Forms and submissions should be in Word with *doc* or *rtf* suffix (not *docx*).
- Email confirmations will be sent within two (2) weeks of submission deadline to sponsor and one (1) panelist.

* Sigma Tau Delta members no longer affiliated with a college or university chapter must be members of the $\Sigma\tau\Delta$ Alumni Epsilon chapter to present at the convention. To join this chapter, go to www.english.org.

Mail Panel Proposals-Postmarked by Nov. 21, 2008

Send this form to:

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$\Sigma\tau\Delta$ or $\Sigma\kappa\Delta$ Chapter Sponsor's Information (waived for Alumni Epsilon chapter* members):

Name _____

Email _____

Signature (required only for mailed submissions)

I certify that the panelists named above are members in good standing.
